IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PATENT Application No.: 09/973,291 Applicant: Wei-Fan Chen, et al. Group Art Unit: 2822 Filed: 10/08/2001 Our Ref: B-4333 For: "ESD Protection Devices ..." (619139-6)

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Sir:

- 1. This is a petition for an extension by one month of the time to respond to the Office Action mailed on September 2, 2003.
- 2. Applicant is not a small entity.
- 3. Attached is a check in the sum of \$110.00. Charge to Deposit Account No. 12-0415 any additional fee required or credit for any excess paid.

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